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23. (New) The cationic liposome of claim 21, wherein the cationic liposome has a diameter of about 25 to 200 nm.

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24. (New) The cationic liposome of claim 21, wherein the detectable label is selected from the group consisting of fluorescent labels, histochemical labels, immunochemical labels, and radioactive labels.

25. (New) A pharmaceutical composition comprising the cationic liposome of claim 21 and a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier.

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26. (New) A cationic liposomal composition for diagnostic use comprising a cationic lipid and a detectable label, wherein the cationic liposome has a diameter of about 20 to 200 nm, and wherein the liposomal composition is formulated for systemic delivery.

27. (New) The cationic liposomal composition of claim 26, wherein the composition is formulated for injection into the circulatory system.

28. (New) A cationic liposome consisting essentially of a cationic lipid and a detectable label, wherein the cationic liposome has a diameter of about 20 to 200 nm.

29. (New) The cationic liposome of claim 28, wherein the cationic liposome has a diameter of about 20 to 100 nm.

30. (New) The cationic liposome of claim 28, wherein the cationic liposome has a diameter of about 25 to 200 nm. --